IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: : Bastiaan Drichuys Filed : Jan. 21, 2004

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Examiner: : Leah H. Schlientz

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Sir

In response to the Office Action of June 14, 2007, a response to which is due November 14, 2007 with a petition for a two-month extension of time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Applicants hereby Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response for two (2) months from September 14, 2007 through November 14, 2007. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$460.00 to Deposit Account No. 502-665.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR \$1.16(j) or 37 CFR 1.13(a) which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 502-665 in the name of GE Healthcare, Inc.

Amendments to the specification are shown on page 2 of this paper.

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